

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S9895–S9942

Measures Introduced: Five bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1722–1726, and S. Res. 290–293. **Page S9930**

Measures Reported:

Special Report entitled “Further Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals from the Concurrent Resolution, FY 2010”. (S. Rept. No. 111–83)

S. 1451, to modernize the air traffic control system, improve the safety, reliability, and availability of transportation by air in the United States, provide for modernization of the air traffic control system, reauthorize the Federal Aviation Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 111–82) **Page S9930**

Measures Passed:

Majority Party’s Membership on Certain Committees: Senate agreed to S. Res. 290, to constitute the majority party’s membership on certain committees for the One Hundred Eleventh Congress, or until their successors are chosen. **Page S9910**

Radio Free Asia Extension: Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 3593, to amend the United States International Broadcasting Act of 1994 to extend by one year the operation of Radio Free Asia, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S9941**

United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy Reauthorization: Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2131, to amend the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 to reauthorize the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S9941**

National Cybersecurity Awareness Month: Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 285, supporting the goals and ideals of national cy-

bersecurity awareness month and raising awareness and enhancing the state of cybersecurity in the United States, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S9941**

Honoring Former Senator Henry Louis Bellmon: Senate agreed to S. Res. 293, relative to the death of Henry Louis Bellmon, former United States Senator for the State of Oklahoma. **Page S9942**

Measures Considered:

Department of Defense Appropriations Act—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3326, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S9906–10, S9910–18**

Adopted:

Johanns Amendment No. 2484, prohibiting use of funds to fund the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN). **Page S9912**

Pending:

McCain Amendment No. 2558, to strike amounts available for procurement of C–17 aircraft in excess of the amount requested by the President in the budget for fiscal year 2010 and to make such amounts available instead for operation and maintenance in accordance with amounts requested by the President in that budget and for Operation and Maintenance, Army, for overseas contingency operations. **Pages S9906–07, S9916–18**

Legislative Branch Appropriations Act Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that at approximately 11 a.m., on Wednesday, September 30, 2009, Senate begin consideration of the conference report to accompany H.R. 2918, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010; that all debate time until 4:30 p.m. be equally divided and controlled between Senators Nelson (NE) and Murkowski, or their designees; provided that if points of order are raised, any vote on the motions to waive occur beginning at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 30, 2009, and that no amendments be in